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PERSONAL

Tribble Bryant is telegraphing at Falmouth on the K. C.

Henry Wood Jr. was over from Conway Saturday on business.

Floyd Miller left last week for Colorado, to spend the winter.

Cas Cox, of East Bernstadt is the new barber at the Sowder shop.

Rev. George S. Watson was in Frankfort a portion of the week.

Dr. Treadway was here from Paint Lick Saturday attending court.

Miss Clarice McElroy of Covington is with Miss Elizabeth Adams.

Mrs. J. W. Tate, of Brodhead, was the guest of Mrs. Alice Tate during the week.

J. Fish the Clothing and Shoe man was in Louisville during the week on business.

"Red" Mullins the Level Green stock trader was in Stanford Saturday with a bunch of sheep.

Miss Louana Whitehead, of "Whiteland" was the guest of her brother R. A. Whitehead Sunday.

Miss Elizabeth Adams returned Sunday from a two weeks visit at Covington, Danville and Junction City.

Hamilton Cummings is here from Mt. Vernon visiting his parents Mr. and Mrs. Matt Cummings, near

Joe Pike, from Pulaski Station was here Wednesday enroute from Knoxville where he had been on business.

Miss Alza Thompson has returned from a three weeks visit with Mrs. J. W. Hutcheson in Louisville.

Dr. E. J. Brown was up from Stanford Tuesday to see T. D. Mullins who has been on the sick list for some weeks. Mr. Mullins does not seem to improve.

The following boys are among those who entered boarding department of Welch Morrow school this week: Bradley Brown, Mitchell Norton, Victor Price, Lee Norton, Colson Stephens.

John H. Fish has been promoted by L. & N. He had been train dispatcher at Blue Ridge Ga. for some years past. His new position is that of chief dispatcher on Henderson division with headquarters at Earlington Ky. Will Wright who was a dispatcher at Livingston for many years goes with Mr. Fish as assistant chief. Our people are glad to hear of the promotion of these worthy men.

Mrs. W. J. Sparks and daughters Misses Frances, Bess and Martha left Wednesday for Louisville to spend two or three months. For the next several weeks a good portion of Mr. Sparks' time will be required in Tennessee where the W. J. Sparks Co. have a large contract, and by his family being in Louisville during that time, he can be with them much more of the time than if they were in Mt. Vernon.

LOCAL

70c buys a dollars suit of winter underwear at Fish's today.

As soon as Adam awoke and saw Eve he coined the word "trouble".

Your fourteen seventy-five is good for a twenty dollar suit at Fish's.

The Brown Memorial opened Monday with the limit of boarding pupils.

A recital by Miss Dodson and Rev. Carl T. Michel will be given next Wednesday night at 8 o'clock at the Presbyterian church. Proceeds will be used to purchase additional seats for the church. Admission 25 cents. Tickets on sale at C. C. Davis' drug store.

Roy Beasley has opened a sale and training stable in the old Miller barn.

Roy Beasley and J. S. Langford sold to Judge B. J. Bethrum a combined horse for \$200.

John Ramsey has moved to his farm on Renfro creek recently purchased from Hugh Miller.

The Peoples Bank have declared their annual dividend of 8 per cent, and passed a nice sum to the surplus.

Circuit Court adjourned Saturday, a short term, yet it was a busy week and considerable business was done.

The Malt Mead joints are but few days and full of trouble if they try to do business after the allotted time, says the new town board.

Rev. Geo. Tinsley, of Lexington, who has been called as pastor of the Christian Church here preached two very interesting sermons Sunday.

The Graded school had to dismiss for a day or two on account of heat. The new steam heating plant was not equal to the extreme cold.

WEATHER FORECAST.

Louisville, Ky., Jan. 11 1912
Snow tonight and Friday.
Colder with cold wave in East portion. High North winds.

Monday evening was the time for the regular annual officers' banquet of the Masonic lodge, but the inclement weather prevented many from coming and the crowd was very small.

New Years day is a legal holiday in all states except Kentucky, Massachusetts, Mississippi, New Hampshire and Rhode Island, and Washington's birthday in all except Iowa and Mississippi.

Sheriff T. I. Niceley went to Frankfort Monday to take Fred Elkin to the school of reform for stealing and young Osburn who was given from two to ten years in the pen for stealing.

Geo. Mullins aged 82, a respected colored man of this place died on the 4th inst. Uncle George as he was familiarly known was a veteran of the Civil War. He died of a stroke of Paralysis which he had six months ago.

There will be services at the Presbyterian church Sunday morning and evening by the pastor. Morning service "A great promise to the weary" evening service, subject, "The Golden Rule". Every one invited.

Friday was the annual election of officers of the Bank of Mt. Vernon. Geo. Livesay, S. H. Martin, A. T. Fish, C. C. Williams and W. L. Richards were named as directors. C. C. Williams, President, W. L. Richards, Cashier, J. T. Adams Vice President and A. B. Furnish Assistant Cashier.

At the regular semi-annual election of officers of the Odd Fellows the following officers were elected: Lee Rash, Noble Grand; Walter Southard, Vice Grand and W. A. Cox, Secretary. On account of the extreme cold weather on last Saturday night, many were prevented from coming out and the installation was deferred until tomorrow night.

There has been some talk that when the malt mead joints had to quit in the town, that there would be one or two open up just outside the corporate limits. Judge Bethrum says the men who tries it, will find Jordan a hard road to travel. The people and the officer both town and county have determined to stop malt mead, and the indications point pretty strong in the direction of them stopping.

Mr. I. L. Godfrey, editor and Mr. Thomas J. Green, business manager, of the North and South a Monthly Magazine, published at Louisville, were here for a writing of Rockcastle county and her resources. The object of the article which will appear in the North and South, is to give an exact account of the county what it has and what it most needs, with the hope that capitalists somewhere will be interested and come to us and invest. The L. & N. Railroad circulates at least 1000 copies of this magazine, when it contains articles concerning territory through which any branch of their road runs. Such an article as will appear in the North and South will probably be worth much to Rockcastle. Let us hope that it will be at any rate.

Ball Brand Overshoes at Fish's. Bargains in corduroy pants at Fish's.

Ship stuff \$1.55 per sack. C. C. Cox.

Any year that is divisible by 4 is leap year except the centuries which require the divisor to be 400.

FOR SALE:—One five room house and lot, in Brodhead. Apply to, D. M. PRISTON, Jan. 5 st. Brodhead, Ky.

Our Livingston correspondence arrived this week as well as last week on the late train Thursday, so late that it is impossible to use it.

FOR SALE:—Two good mules six years old, apply to

D. L. BRYANT, Mt. Vernon.

Chicken stealing is going on to a considerable extent in West Mt. Vernon. Fowls not only disappear at night but vanish even during the day.

Best four 75cts per sack. Wal paper 5 cts. per roll and up; guaranteed roofing \$1.50 per square and up. Groceries of all kinds at right prices. C. C. Cox.

I WILL DYE FOR YOU.

All kinds of Dyeing, Cleaning and pressing done at a reasonable price. Satisfaction guaranteed on good clothes. W. M. MULLINS.

Dec. 30 st.

The Christian Endeavor meets every Sunday evening at 6:30 in the Christian Church the topic for next Sunday evening is "How to Win Young People to Christ". Miss Letia Mae Lovell, leader.

The White Star liner Oceanic, which reached New York from England on Dec. 14 brought the largest amount of mail ever rec'd. in this country on one trip 5,615 sacks of mail, and 230 bags of parcels.

Miss Bettie Jones, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Jones, of the Hiatt section, and Mr. Marion Matlock, of Cartersville; Garrard county, were married last week. The Signal extends its best wishes to this splendid young couple.

The gauge of the L. & N. track

the war was charged to 4 feet 8 1/2 inches. After close of war it was changed back to five feet. It was sometime in the 80's when it was charged again to its present gauge 4 feet 9 inches.

Mrs. Maggie Short, wife of Deputy Collector W. T. Short, died at Richmond last Saturday, after some week's illness. Many of our people remember Mrs. Short whose family were at one time residents of our town while Mr. Short was filling the position of Deputy U. S. Marshal.

CEDARVILLE.

Cold weather and rabbit hunting is the order of the day.—According to the old peoples saying we will have 21 snows this winter. They say as many days old as the moon was when the first snow comes there will be that many and the moon was 21 days old when the first one came. There has been to and a good prospect for the other 11.—Old Aunt Margaret Doan is very low with cancer. Her eye is eaten out by the cancer. She is very old some where in 80 years, and is feeble as a child. Rev. J. H. Barnes has sent an appointment to Pleasant Valley church, on next Friday at 1 o'clock to represent the Farmers Union. After Bro. Barnes' discourse is over they intend to have their team there and if any one wants to join The Farmers Union they will initiate them. So boys this is 10 per cent to the dollar, so says Bro. Dyer. Dr. Owens bought a pair of mules for J. W. Kincer, for \$227.50 and sold them and a wagon to George French for \$300.00.

A butcher's sign out West reads as follows: John Jacobs kills pigs like his father.

One advertisement was headed: "Two sisters want washing." So do a great many brothers. Another advertisement was: "Wanted—a boy to send paper."

A tailor had a bill in his window to the following effect: "Wanted several thin coat makers." This is a fine chance for spare tailors.

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.

The Kind You Have Always Bought

Bears the Signature of J. C. Watson

Men's and Young Men's \$18 AND \$20 SUITS FOR \$14.75

INCLUDING OUR FINEST SUITS & OVERCOATS

There's nothing sensational about this offer. Cut price time is here; and here is the cut price on our regular stocks of this season's goods. All kinds of materials and all kinds of patterns. All high-class, hand-colored goods. They've been the best values in Mt. Vernon all season at their regular prices, \$18. and \$20. Now they're cut to \$14.75 and it's your play.

MEN'S ALL-WOOL
SUITS FOR \$10

These are pure wool worsteds, in blue pencil stripes; chevots and cassimeres, in neat and fancy patterns; fine fast color blue serges, etc.; in three-piece suits. These fine goods as long as they last at \$10.00 a suit.

OVERCOAT SPECIAL \$10
\$15 and \$16.50 Goods, to clean up at

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Mail or Wire Orders Filled Promptly With Best Values in Stock.
Telephone No. 27 — Use Our Phone Anytime.

So many ships have been lost in the strait between the Red Sea and Arabian Gulf that the strait is called the Gate of Tears.

The collapsible water towers which are used by the fire department of Berlin measure only five feet in length when closed, but when extended are able to throw a level stream into the windows on the eighth floor of a building.

Old writers had no idea that the brain had anything to do with the mind. They associated the mind with the heart or with other organs of the body, doubtless because these organs are moved or affected by mental action. Aristotle, the best informed of the Greeks, said that the chief business of the brain was to cool the blood for the heart.

The microscopic dot or earliest germ of vitality is the marvel of science today. Everything that lives, whether the giant oak or the monster nimble leech to begin its individual life from this microscopic dot, which actually contains all the past history of the living growth and every part in miniature of its future frame.

The battle flag of the Southern Confederacy is being by its size the arm of the service to which it belonged. Four feet square for infantry, three feet square for artillery and two and one half by two and one half for cavalry. The flag was crimson in color, with a blue St. Andrew's cross, surrounded by eleven stars.

Medicine that all nature are always most efficient. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy acts on this plan. It always the cough, relieves the lungs, opens the secretion and aids nature in restoring the system to a healthy condition. Thousands have testified to its superior excellence. Sold by Chas. C. Davis.

OLD HICKORY CHIPS

Mr. Taft will not hang up his stockings until the 18th of June. The Allis Chalmers Company will default interest on its bonds. A receivership will follow.

The Turkish Cabinet has resigned in consequence of the obstruction of the opposition.

Sir Edward Henry Carson, of Ireland, has declared that he would lead an armed rebellion against home rule.

William Claiborne, an artist, supposed to be a native of Kentucky or Tennessee committed suicide in New York.

Prof. C. C. Meux committed suicide in Mobile by stabbing himself below the heart.

Mrs. James Baker and her two young daughters were burned to death at Suffern, N. Y.

The Steel Corporation has ordered six more furnaces into blast which indicates that the New Year, begins with 79 per cent. of capacity.

At a dinner of the New English Club Mr. Guild, the American Ambassador, proposed the Czar for originating The Hague conference.

The Pope has reached no decision as to the appointments of Apostolic delegates to the United States and the Philippines.

J. Pierpont Morgan sailed for Europe yesterday. He is going to Egypt. He said, "God knows when I will be back."

Six persons were killed and thirteen were injured in a wreck on the Great Northern railway near Finley, S. D.

The closing of the year in Great Britain finds the country threatened with a revival of industrial unrest.

The trustees of Sayre College at Lexington have authorized the use of a portion of its campus for the proposed Marv Todd Lincoln memorial building.

Over 1,800 couples were married in Jeffersonville in 1911, the number breaking all records since Clark county was created some 111 years ago.

\$100 PER PLATE

was paid at a banquet to Henry Clay, in New Orleans in 1842. Mightily costly for those with stomach trouble or indigestion. To day people everywhere use Dr. Kink's New Life Pills for these troubles as well as liver, kidney and bowel disorders. Easy, safe, sure. Only 25 cts at Chas. C. Davis.

Winter Hats

Some \$2 & \$2 50 Hats for

98c

Old and Broken Lines of Soft and Stiff Hats—this seasons styles; all sizes, but only a few of a kind; this one lot; beginning to day, as long as they last at 98c

Men's 50c Underwear

35c

A GARMENT

Regular 50c Grades at 35c

SHOE SPECIALS

A Lot of 83 Shoes for

\$1.98

Regular \$3 and \$3.50 Patent Leathers, Tans, Gun Metals and Kid

Most of this Lot in Ladies' Shoe run in sizes from 2 1/2 to 3 1/2

Big Bargains

Speaker Champ Clark has returned to St. Louis well pleased with the reception he received in Oklahoma.

The gross revenues of the Post-office Department for the year amounted to \$237,879,824, while the expenditures were \$237,648,927, leaving a net surplus of \$230,900.

The gold produced in the United States in 1911 was worth \$96,233,528 and the silver \$30,854,500, both of which show a decline as compared with 1910.

AN ACCOMPLISHED REFORM

Fourteen million dollars in postal savings bank in the United States, after but one year of operation! This is one of the novelties of the financial reports of the New Year. This record marks the practical success of an experiment about which there was never the slightest doubt. There are now 5,185 post offices with postal banks. When the system is fully developed and popularized annual deposits of \$200,000,000 are anticipated. Now for a limited parcels post.

Mr. R. H. Hocker, of London read a paper before the Royal Statistical society of England recently in which he showed that the increased cost of "all commodities" was twice as much in high-protect-

FROM THE TROPICS TO HEAL US.



In Central America many natives are gathering the seeds of this plant, Codron Seed, a rare medicine that has valuable curative powers. But few drug stores carry this seed, owing to the high cost of the article. This country is a large consumer of this costly seed because it enters into the famous catarrh remedy, Peruna, sold the world over.

SUMMER COLDS

Should not be neglected. It means a condition in the lungs that brings on Pneumonia, Bronchitis or some other serious disease.

Ballard's Horehound Syrup

Is a good remedy for sore throat and cold settled in the lungs. It cures pain in the chest, hoarseness, obstinate coughs, congestion in the lungs, loss of voice and inflammation. It is a fine family remedy, made only of the purest ingredients and possesses a wonderful soothing and healing influence in the lungs, throat and bronchial tubes. Children like it because it is pleasant to the taste. It is a quick relief for the throat and lung disorders to which children are subject.

Price 25c, 50c and \$1.00 per Bottle.

Buy the \$1.00 size. It contains five times as much as the 25c size, and you get with each bottle a Dr. Harriett's Red Pepper Plaster for the chest.

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